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Questionnaire and Comment Form

Southwest Gulf Railroad Company's
Proposed Rail Construction in Medina County, TX
STB Finance Docket No. 34284

June 12, 2003

This questionnaire and comment form is designed to help you identify and describe any issues of interest to you regarding Southwest Gulf Railroad Company's Proposed Rail Construction in Medina County, TX. Your comments will help the Surface Transportation Board, Section of Environmental Analysis understand public interests and concerns about the project as we conduct our environmental review.

Please complete this questionnaire after you have reviewed the exhibits. If you have a concern about a particular geographic area, please circle it on the attached map.

Please give us the completed form tonight or mail it to:

Attn: FD 34284
Rini Ghosh
Attorney-Adviser
Section of Environmental Analysis
Surface Transportation Board
1925 K Street, N.W., Suite 500
Washington, D.C. 20423-0001

Your name and address are optional, but would be useful if you would like to be added to our mailing list to receive subsequent information regarding this project.

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1. Which of the following applies to your situation?

- ☒ The proposed rail line is near my home.
- ☒ The proposed rail line is near my business.
- ☒ The proposed rail line crosses my property

☐ Other, please specify See Below

2. What are your concerns regarding potential environmental impacts and do you have any mitigation suggestions?

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SHALLOW well.

3. Please use this space for additional comments or suggestions.

The proposed rail road is noisy &
~~leaves~~ leaves dust that we will have
to inhale WE ARE 82 & 85 & THE RR WILL PASS
NEXT TO OUR HOME OUR REAL ESTATE BROKER CAN
NOT SELL 16.5 ACRE NEXT TO US BECAUSE OF
THIS QUARRY. HE SAYS OUR HOMESTEAD & RANCH
HAS LOST VALUE NO ONE WANTS TO BUY NEXT
TO A QUARRY OR A DANGEROUS RR. WE READ
3 YEARS AGO THERE WAS A 22 CAR TRAIN DE
RAILMENT NEAR DUNLAP WHICH SPILLED
THOUSANDS OF GALLONS OF HYDROCHLORIC ACID
WE ARE LIVING OUR GOLDEN YEARS IN STRESS
OF COURSE WE ARE. WE ALWAYS KEPT

Thank you for your comments.

OUR LAND TO PASS ON TO OUR CHILDREN
THEY DON'T WANT TO LIVE HERE.
THE QUARRY WILL DESTROY THE WAY
OF LIFE WE TREASURE. NO ONE INCLUDING
MONEY CAN'T CONVINCE US THIS
IS GOOD FOR QUIHI OR OUR FAMILY